

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION III 841 Chestnut Building Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107

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VIA FACSIMILE

DEC V : 1995

Re: Halby Chemical Removal Action

By facsimile dated December 1, 1995 Witco Corporation has proposed to utilize Code Environmental of Carteret, New Jersey to perform fence installation and other potentially intrusive site stabilization activities at the Halby Chemical site. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) does accept Witco Corporation's proposal. Further, this letter will confirm that EPA has received the revised Field Sampling Plan and schedule dated November 20, 1995 submitted in accordance with our October 20, 1995 comment package and acceptance letter. The Agency encourages Witco Corporation to began field activities on December 4, 1995 as conveyed by letter dated November 29, 1995 from Mr. William Mercurio, Langan Environmental, to EPA.

Sincerely,

Eric Newman, RPM

General Remedial Section (3HW23)

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